FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Notification, dated 28th April 1896.

It is hereby notified for general information that the Minor forest produce of the State Forests of the Bangalore District for the year 1896-97 will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer in conjunction with the respective Amildars on the dates and in the places mentioned in the appended statement. The sales will be subject to confirmation by Deputy Commissioner.

2. The highest bidder will be required to deposit ¼th of the purchase money as soon as the sale is concluded and the remainder should be paid within seven days from the date of his being informed by the Amildar in writing of the confirmation of the sale. In default, the money so deposited will be forfeited to Government and the produce re-sold.

Statement showing the particulars of the sale of Minor produce of the Forests of the Bangalore District for the year 1896-97.

No.	State Forests.	Date of sale.	Place where sale is to be held.
1	Kumbalgod	20th May 1896.	Closepet.
2	Hultar		
3	Handigondi		
4	Atchal		
5	Tenginakal	25th May 1896.	Channapatna.
6	Makli		
7	Chikmannugudde		
8	Dodmannugudde		
9	Banantimari	28th May 1896.	Kankanhalli.
10	Kabbal and Bhimanakandi ..		
11	Bilikal		
12	Chilandadi and Muggur ..		
13	Basvanabetta		
14	Ragihalli State Forest	3rd June 1896.	Anekal.
15	Savandrug	8th June 1896.	Magadi.
16	Ujani, Hulkadi and Makli	12th June 1896.	Dodballapur.

Y. SITARAMAIYA, *Dt. Forest Officer, Bangalore Dt.*

Notice, dated 28th February 1896.

It is hereby notified that the exclusive privilege of collecting Tangadi (*Cassia auriculata*) and Kakké (*Cassia fistula*) barks in the Taluks of the Kolar District, noted below, will be sold by public auction on the date, at the place, and by the officer specified against them :—

Names of Taluks.	No.	Names of Firkas or Hoblis.	Period for which the privilege is sold.	Date of sale.	Place of sale.	Officer conducting the sale.	Officer by whom the sale is to be confirmed.	Remarks.
I. Kolar ..	1	Kolar	From 1st July 1896 to 30th June 1897.	14th May 1896.	District Office, Kolar.	District Forest Officer, Kolar.	Deputy Commissioner, Kolar.	Sales will be conducted talukwar.
	2	Vakkaleri						
	3	Huthur						
	4	Vemagal						
	5	Sugatur						
	6	Dalasanur						
	7	Holur						
II. Malur ..	1	Malur						
	2	Narasapur						
	3	Lakkur						
	4	Masti						
	5	Huladenahalli ..						
	6	Tyakal						
III. Bowringpet.	1	Bowringpet						
	2	Budikota						
	3	Kamasamudra ..						
	4	Bethamangala ..						
	5	Kyasamballi						
	6	Ramasagara						
	7	Dasarahosalli ..						

2. The auction will commence at 3 P.M., on the above day, and if the sale is not completed on the said day it will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. The exclusive privilege above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner, who shall be at liberty to accept or reject the bid at his discretion. The accepted bid will represent the amount which is to be paid for the whole period of twelve months for the aforesaid exclusive privilege.

4. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents, and no person will be permitted to bid either on his own behalf or on account of any one else until he has deposited a sum of Rs. 100. The deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them at the close of the sale. The successful bidders must, on the result of each Taluk being declared, deposit in cash or Government Promissory notes, endorsed to the Deputy Commissioner, a sum equal to one-fourth of the total rental including the deposit already made. Should he fail to do so, the deposit already made will be forfeited and the exclusive privilege will be re-sold by the District Forest Officer.

5. Re-sales effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder who will forfeit all gain, and, in the event of a loss by the re-sale, will make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale.

6. The purchaser of the exclusive privilege shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions published below and the agreement should be executed within three days from the date of confirmation of the sale by the Deputy Commissioner.

7. The balance of the amount of the lease shall be paid in full before the end of May 1896, failing which the highest bidder will forfeit the one-fourth sum already credited, and the exclusive privilege to collect the bark will be liable to be re-sold.

8. The successful bidders are required to execute agreements on the 1st June 1896, on one rupee stamp papers binding themselves to the following conditions :—

(1) Not to cut stems under one year old.
(2) To bark all shoots whether large or small.
(3) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.
(4) To keep accounts showing the quantity of bark removed in accordance with the lease and to permit inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer or by any officer deputed by him.
(5) To provide passes for each cart-load of bark in such manner as may be laid down by the District Forest Officer.
(6) To remove out of the limits of the Taluks leased out to him all bark cut, collected or stored before the end of June 1897.
(7) To hold himself responsible for the occurrence of any fire in a State Forest or a Plantation which may be caused by him or by his men, and to make good any loss which may be caused to valuable trees or crops.
(8) In the event of any breach of the above conditions the lease is liable to be cancelled and all the bark collected to be confiscated and the whole of the deposit amount or a portion thereof to be forfeited to Government.

B. RAMASWAMI IYER,
for *Dy. Comr., Kolar Dt.*

Notification, dated 1st May 1896.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned Minor forest produce of the State Forests of the Mysore District will be sold by the undersigned by public auction in the Mysore Wood-yard on the 25th May 1896 :—

Description of Produce.	*Quantity more or less.* Mds.	lbs.
Bees wax	6	7
Honey	3	24
Gall-nuts	1,500	0
Deer horn, &c.	7	13
Dindal gum	39	23
Lac	100	0
Sigekayi	20	0
Bison horn	1	0

Terms.—*Vide* Inspector General's Notification, dated 11th June 1887, published at page 287-288 of the Mysore Gazette, dated 18th June 1887.

Notification, dated 18th April 1896.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned logs, branch pieces, poles and rafters will be sold by the undersigned by public auction in the Nanjangud Depôt and the Mysore Wood-yard on the 16th and 18th May 1896, respectively :—

Description of timber.	Nanjangud Depôt. More or less.		Mysore Wood-yard. More or less.	
	No.	C. ft.	No.	C. ft.
Teak logs	124	2,868	388	12,092¾
Teak branch pieces	108	959½	83	740¼
Teak poles	9	11¼	..	..
Teak rafters	24	37½	..	..
Honne logs	95	2,041	99	2,396¼
Honne branch pieces..	96	1,006¼	29	324
Matti logs	3	55½	50	1,225¾
Matti branch pieces	1	7	9	79½
Blackwood logs	2	32¼	9	463
Blackwood branch pieces	2	21½	9	106
Nandi logs	5	85¾	18	401¾
Nandi branch pieces	10	104¾	6	71
Jungle logs	2	50¾	17	423¼
Total ..	481	7,281	716	18,253½

Terms.—Vide Government Notification No. 15229—R. F. 155-92, dated 15th March 1895, for sale of timber and bamboos published in the Mysore Gazette No. 15, Part I, dated 25th April 1895.

T. ABDUL KARIM, *Dt. Forest Officer, Mysore Dt.*

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Notification No. J. 1378, *dated* 1896.

C. Krishnama Naidu, Acting Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate of Hoskote Taluk, is hereby invested with the following powers specified in Schedule IV of the Code of Criminal Procedure as powers conferrable by the District Magistrate.

(1) Power to make orders prohibiting repetition of nuisances, Section 143.

(2) Power to make orders under Section 144.

(3) Power to hold inquests Section 174.

(4) Power to take cognizance of offences upon complaint, Section 191.

(5) Power to take cognizance of offences upon Police reports, Section 191.

V. N. NARASIMMIYENGAR, *Dt. Magistrate.*

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Notification No. 4277—78 1896.

Kannaiya Sastri, Acting Amildar and 3rd Class Magistrate of Sidlaghatta, is invested with the following additional powers :—

(1) Power to make orders prohibiting repetition of nuisances, Section 143, C. P. C.

(2) Power to make orders under Section 144.

(3) Power to hold inquests under Section 174.

(4) Power to take cognizance of offences upon Police reports, Section 191.

(5) Power to take cognizance of offences upon complaint, Section 191.

Specially authorized under clause c, Sec. 3 of the Excise Regulation III of 1885 to entertain and dispose of complaints arising within the limits of his jurisdiction.

B. G. KRISHNAIENGAR, *Dt. Magistrate.*